## Public Utilities Commission of the State of California

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The Commission's policy is to schedule hearings (meetings, workshops, etc.) in locations that are accessible to people with disabilities.

The CPUC encourages all Californians to participate in its meetings, hearings, workshops, and proceedings. We try to hold our public meetings only in places that are wheelchair accessible and which can accommodate specialized equipment and other services useful to people with disabilities. Please see the notice of the meeting you wish to attend for more specifics.

If you plan to attend and need specialized accommodations for a particular meeting that are not listed in the notice, request them from the Public Advisor's Office at least three business days in advance of the meeting. Contact the Public Advisor's Office by any one of the following:

Email: public.advisor@cpuc.ca.gov FAX: 415-355-5404 (Attn.: Public Advisor)

toll-free: 1-866-849-8390 TTY: 1-866-836-7825 (toll-free)

Voice: 415-703-2074 1-415-703-5282

### REGULAR COMMISSION BUSINESS MEETINGS

December 2, 2004	9:30 am	San Francisco
December 16, 2004	9:30 am	San Francisco
January 13, 2005	9:30 am	San Francisco

# COMMISSION RATESETTING DELIBERATIVE MEETINGS (Not Open to the Public)

Ratesetting Deliberative Meeting dates are reserved as noted but will only be held if there are ratesetting matters to be considered.

November 29, 2004	1:30 pm	San Francisco
December 13, 2004	1:30 pm	San Francisco
January 10, 2005	1:30 pm	San Franicsco

### OTHER COMMISSION MEETINGS

### NONE

### NOTICES

### Central Files Revised Office Hours

Starting May 24, 2004, the Central Files Office will be open for business from 8 a.m. to 12 noon only.

### **Delivery of Formal Pleadings for Filing**

Unless otherwise directed, all courier-delivered documents submitted for filing as part of the formal record in a proceeding should be hand-carried directly to the Commission's Docket Office, Room 2001, 505 Van Ness Avenue in San Francisco; Suite 500, 320 West 4<sup>th</sup> Street in Los Angeles; or Room 4006, 1350 Front Street in San Diego. All documents sent through the mail for formal filing should be addressed ONLY to the Commission's Docket Office, Room 2001, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA 94102.

### **Charge for Commission Documents**

To purchase Commission documents, there is a charge of 20 cents a printed page (postage prepaid) with a minimum purchase of \$2.00.

### Commission Resources Available for Rental

The auditorium, hearing rooms and training room at the headquarters of the California Public Utilities Commission, located at 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, are available for rent. Further information about requirements and fees can be obtained by contacting Colette Kondo at (415) 703-1401.

#### SUBSCRIPTION INFORMATION

### Subscription to Daily Calendar, Commission Meeting Agenda, and Draft Agenda Items

For information contact: California Public Utilities Commission

Attention: Poly Arca

505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 1003

San Francisco, CA 94102 Phone: (415) 703-1798 Email: pol@cpuc.ca.gov

### **COMMISSIONER OFFICE HOURS**

### **NONE**

#### PUBLIC MEETING & WORKSHOPS

### Public Workshop on the Standardization of the CARE and LIEE Programs for the SMJU's

December 7, 2004	California Public Utilities Commission
10 am – 3 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue, Conference Room 5100
	(Corner of Van Ness and Golden Gate)
	San Francisco

The purpose of this public workshop is to discuss the standardization of the California Alternate Rates for Energy (CARE) and Low Income Energy Efficiency (LIEE) programs for the Small and Multi-Jurisdictional Utilities (SMJU).

A Notice Letter with more information about this meeting will be served on the service list in rulemaking R04-01-006 and will be posted on the Commission's and the LIOB's websites.

<u>Teleconference Information</u>: Conference call capabilities will be provided by calling (866) 675-0748, followed by pass code 554377#. This location is wheelchair accessible and is open to the public. Questions regarding the workshop should be addressed to Zaida Amaya at (916) 324-8684 (zca@cpuc.ca.gov).

We ask any participants who wish to use this teleconference service to refrain from any additional sounds, such as, music on hold, background noises, as it interferes with the meeting. If necessary, please use the mute function on your phone or disconnect from the call and reconvene at a more convenient time.

### Workshop Notice (Revised as of 11/10/04)

December 8, 2004	California Public Utilities Commission
10 am - 4 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue, Auditorium
	(Corner of Van Ness and Golden Gate)
December 9, 2004	San Francisco
9 am – 4 pm	

Decision 04-09-022 states that the CPUC should coordinate with the California Energy Commission to examine gas quality issues in a technical workshop. This workshop will address the natural gas quality specification issues that were raised in Order Instituting Rulemaking (R.) 04-01-025, and certain issues presented in the California Energy Commission's 2003 Integrated Energy Policy Report, docket number 04-IEP-1. This workshop is to be conducted jointly under the auspices of California Public Utilities Commission and California Energy Commission, with the collaboration of Air Resources Board and California Department of Conservation - Division of Oil, Gas, and Geothermal Resources.

Audio from this workshop will be broadcast over the Internet and comments and presentations will be posted on both CPUC's and CEC's web sites: www.cpuc.ca.gov and www.energy.ca.gov/webcast/.

Participants desiring to make a presentations are requested to contact the CPUC and Energy Commission, as indicated below, by November 29, 2004, and provide copies of their presentations by December 6, 2004, so they can be loaded on the CPUC's and Energy Commission's websites for remote viewing. Participants are encouraged to provide their presentations in a PowerPoint or equivalent format to: David Effross, at DRE@cpuc.ca.gov and Mike Purcell at mpurcell@energy.state.ca.us. CPUC and Energy Commission staff will afterwards prepare and file a report with recommendations to both the CPUC and Energy Commission. This workshop report will be filed February 4, 2005. Interested parties may file comments on the workshop report on or before February 22, 2005.

### Workshop Notice - R04-10-010

December 9, 2004	California Public Utilities Commission
10 am	505 Van Ness Avenue, Commission Courtroom
	(Corner of Van Ness Avenue and McAllister Street)
	San Francisco

will be held before Administrative Law Judge Steve Kotz.

Rulemaking to Set Hourly Rates for Purposes of Calculating Intervenor Compensation Awards, Pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 1801 and Following, for Work Performed in Calendar Year 2005. The workshop in the above-entitled matter

### Workshop Notice Modification of the Rate Case Plan for Class A Water Utility General Rate Applications

December 13, 2004	California Pubic Utilities Commission
1:30 pm – 4 pm	505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 3104
	(Corner of Van Ness and Golden Gate)
December 14, 2004	San Francisco
1:30 pm – 4 pm	
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The Water Division is hosting these continuation workshops, to solicit public input on the need for modification of the Rate Case Plan for Class A Water Utility General Rate Applications (Commission Decision 90-08-045).

The purpose of the workshop is two fold:

To identify the least controversial issues in the Draft Proposed Rate Case Plan for Class A Water Utility General Rate Applications prepared by the Water Division and;

To discuss the necessary components of an interim rate case plan schedule for year 2004.

For your information, the Draft Proposed Rate Case Plan for Class A Water Utility General Rate Applications can be found on the Commission website at http://www.cpuc.ca.gov. (Go to the "Regulated Areas," select "Water" and scroll down to "Helpful Links".)

Questions regarding the workshop should be addressed to Peter Liu of the Water Division at (415) 703-1390;(ptl@cpuc.ca.gov).

### NOTICE OF DRAFT RESOLUTIONS (Pursuant to PU Code § 311(g))

The Telecommunications Division has prepared Resolution T-16900, tentatively scheduled to be included on the December 2, 2004 Commission agenda. This resolution will revoke 101 telecommunications authorities for failure to comply with Decision 93-05-010 Ordering Paragraph 4. The following authorities will be revoked:

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5349 IEC QUEST TELECOMMUNICATIONS	5349	IEC	QUEST TELECOMMUNICATIONS
5365 IEC PEOPLES TELEPHONE COMPANY	5365	IEC	PEOPLES TELEPHONE COMPANY
5371 IEC GST PACIFIC LIGHTWAVE, INC.	5371	IEC	GST PACIFIC LIGHTWAVE, INC.

5386	IEC	SACRAMENTO VALLEY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
5387	IEC	MODOC RSA LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
5424	IEC	TELECOM UNITED NORTH
5433	CLC	ACCESS NETWORK SERVICES, INC.
5440	IEC	AS TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.
5473	IEC	BULLETINS
5509	IEC	FIBERTEL, INC.
5511	IEC	INTELNET INTERNATIONAL CORP.
5523	CLC	ELECTRIC LIGHTWAVE
5541	CLR	AMADOR TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.
5556	CLC	WINSTAR WIRELESS OF CALIFORNIA, INC.
5572	IEC	AMERICAN FREEDOM NETWORK (JD SVCS)
5586	CLR	TIME WARNER CONNECT
5589	IEC	XTRACOM, INC.
5608	IEC	AMERICAN TELCO
5623	IEC	DELTATEL, INC.
5647	IEC	PARADIGM COMMUNICATIONS CORP.
5659	IEC	CASH BACK REBATES LD.COM, INC.
5683	IEC	INTERCONTINENTAL COMMS. GROUP, INC.
5693	IEC	CALL PLUS, INC.
5694	IEC	AXCES, INC.
5703	CLR	QUINTELCO COMMUNICATIONS
5716	IEC	TELEC, INC.
5719	IEC	MARATHON COMMUNICATIONS INC.
5722	CLR	MOMENTUM TELECOM, INC.
5731	CLR	SASSCOM, INC.
5746	IEC	ROYAL TELECOM INTERNATIONAL
5748	IEC	TELSCAPE USA, INC.
5770	IEC	USA GLOBAL LINK, INC.
5796	CLC	COYOTE METRO, LLC
5812	IEC	AMERICAN TELECOM INC.
5818	CLR	INTEGRATED COMMS CONSULTANTS, INC.
5824	IEC	PACIFIC TELEHUB NETWORK SERVICES CORP.
5831	CLC	OMNIPLEX COMMUNICATIONS GROUP, LLC
5842	IEC	STORMTEL, INC.
5843	IEC	USA TELE CORP.
5873	IEC	INTERNATIONAL THINKLINK CORPORATION
5874	CLC	CONVERGENT COMM. SERVICES, INC.
5889	IEC	UNITED SERVICES TELEPHONE, LLC
5910	IEC	MIDWEST TELECOM OF AMERICA, INC.
5932	IEC	PRO PLUS COMMUNICATIONS CORPORATION
5938	IEC	SAVECOM INTERNATIONAL USA, INC.
5939	IEC	STAR TELECOM NETWORK INC.
5950	CLC	OMNIWERX
5953	CLR	NET.WORLD
5957	CLR	PHOENIX INTEGRATION GROUP
5978	IEC	ONE STEP CONNECT, INC.
5981	IEC	FREEDOM COMMUNICATIONS CORP.
5982	IEC	STAR DIRECT TELECOM, INC.
5993	IEC	COMMUNICATION NETWORK SERVICES, L.L.C.
5994	IEC	STAR NETWORK CORPORATION
5996	IEC	PNV.NET, INC.
6007	IEC	TELECOM RESOURCES, INC.
6031	IEC	RON JAWORSKI COMMUNICATIONS (EAGLE)
6120	IER	SPECIAL ACCOUNTS BILLING GROUP, INC.
6126	IER	DIRECT ONE, LLC (DBA DIRECT ONE)
6155	IER	NOSC CORP.

6178	IER	BLACKSTONE COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY
6194	IEC	GLOBAL WEST NETWORK, INC.
6210	IER	COLUMBIA TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.
6211	IER	INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE NETWORKS, LTD
6213	IER	ST. ANDREWS TELECOMMUNICATIONS, LLC
6220	IER	TRANSNET CONNECT, INC.
6356	IEC	NATEL, INC.
6375	IER	CYBERTEL COMMUNICATIONS CORP.
6429	IER	DONTEL INTERNATIONAL, LLC
6434	IER	MERCURY LONG DISTANCE, INC.
6440	IER	NOVACOM GLOBAL, LLC
6456	CLC	GLOBAL TECHNOLOGY ENTERPRISES
6506	IER	LONG DISTANCE BILLING SERVICES, INC.
6523	IER	NORTE.COM, INC.
6536	IEC	TELSTAR INTERNATIONAL, INC. (SEE DBA)
6567	IER	TELECOMEZ CORPORATION
6614	IEC	DYNALINK TELECOM, INC.
6636	IEC	KDI DISTRIBUTION, INC. (SEE DBA)

## NOTICE OF DRAFT RESOLUTIONS (Pursuant to PU Code § 311(g))

Draft Resolution Authorizing a One-Time Deviation from the Process for Appointing Members to the Diablo Canyon Independent Safety Committee Established by Commission Decisions D88-12-083 and D04-05-055

Draft Resolution L-315 of the Legal Division approves Legal Division's request for a one-time deviation from the process established by Commission Decisions D88-12-083 and D04-05-055, pursuant to which membership vacancies on the Diablo Canyon Independent Safety Committee are filled.

Draft Resolution L-315 will be on the agenda at the Commission's December 16, 2004 meeting. The Commission may then vote on the resolution or it may postpone a vote until later. Only when the Commission acts does the Resolution become binding on the parties.

On November 15, 2004, draft Resolution L-315 was circulated to the parties to Commission Docket Nos. A02-11-017 and I03-01-012 (the Pacific Gas and Electric Company's Test Year 2003 General Rate Case). Interested parties may submit comments on the draft Resolution. In accordance with Rule 77.7(c) of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, comments concerning the Draft Resolution shall be due on December 6, 2004, with reply comments due on December 11, 2004. Interested parties may review the draft resolution and service list at the "Currently Open for Comment" section of the Commission's internet site at <a href="mailto:cpuc.ca.gov">cpuc.ca.gov</a>.

If any party to Docket Nos. A02-11-017 and I03-01-012 believes that an evidentiary hearing is required in order for the Commission to take the action it proposes to take in this Draft Resolution, in its comments to be filed by December 6, 2004, it must: (i) request an evidentiary hearing; (ii) identify the material disputed issue or issues of fact that require such an evidentiary hearing; (iii) identify the nature of the testimony it would introduce at an evidentiary hearing; and (iv) explain why such a hearing is required, with citation to any relevant legal authority. Any possible right that any party to Docket Nos. A02-11-017 and I03-01-012 may have to an evidentiary hearing on the matter that is the subject of this Draft Resolution will be waived if the party does not properly request such a hearing in its comments to be filed by December 6, 2004, which comments must include the above-required information.

An original and two copies of the comments, with a certificate of service, should be submitted to:

Becky Cunningham Legal Division California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco, CA 94102

### An electronic copy of the comments in WORD format should be submitted to:

Laurence G. Chaset

11/18/04

By electronic mail in Word: lau@cpuc.ca.gov

Those submitting comments must serve a copy of their comments on 1) the entire service list attached to this notice, 2) all Commissioners, and 3) the Commission's General Counsel, on the same date that the comments are submitted to the Legal Division.

Comments due on December 6, 2004 shall be limited to five pages in length, plus an appendix listing any recommended changes to the draft Resolution, including recommended changes to the proposed findings and ordering paragraphs.

Comments shall focus on factual, legal or technical errors in the proposed draft Resolution. Comments that merely reargue positions taken in the proceedings referenced above will be accorded no weight and are not to be submitted.

Replies to comments on the draft resolution due on December 11, 2004 shall be limited to identifying misrepresentations of law or fact contained in the comments of other parties. Replies shall not exceed five pages in length, and shall be filed and served as set forth above for comments.

Late submitted comments or replies will not be considered.

## NOTICE OF DRAFT RESOLUTIONS (Pursuant to PU Code § 311(g))

Draft Resolutions M-4813 and M-4814 will be placed on the Commission Meeting Agenda of December 16, 2004. Resolution M-4813 adopts level of Utilities Reimbursement Account Fees for fiscal year 2004-05. Resolution M-4814 adopts level of Transportation Reimbursement Account Fees for fiscal year 2004-05.

Interested parties may obtain a copy of Resolution M-4813 and M-4814 for review and submission of written comments. A copy of the draft resolutions may be obtained from, and any subsequent written comments should be submitted to:

Mike Cooper California Public Utilities Commission 505 Van Ness Avenue San Francisco, CA 94102 dmc@cpuc.ca.gov

Parties who wish to file comments on either of these resolutions may do so no later than December 6, 2004.

# NEW FILINGS

11/10/04 **A04-11-018** - Champion Broadband California, LLC, for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity for authority to operate as a provider of Facilities-Based Local Exchange Telecommunications Service and to provide interLATA and intraLATA Interexchange services within the State of California.

11/15/04 **A04-11-019 -** Adventure Ambassadors, for authority to operate an on-call Passenger Stage Corporation between points in the cities of Truckee, Tahoe City and Brockway; and to establish a Zone of Rate Freedom; (11200 Donner Pass Road, #181, Truckee, CA 96161; (530) 581-2448).

**A04-11-020** – Southwest Gas Corporation, for authority to issue one or more types of debt securities in the principal amount of up to \$415,000,000; issue up to 4,000,000 shares of its \$1 par value Common Stock; refinance previously issued short-term debt securities; refinance previously authorized securities under the "Evergreening Authority" guidelines; and enter into one or more interest rate risk management contracts.

### PETITIONS FOR MODIFICATION AND APPLICATIONS FOR REHEARING

### NONE

## DRAFT DECISIONS \* PROPOSED DECISIONS \* ALTERNATES \* PRESIDING OFFICER'S DECISION \* ARBITRATOR'S REPORTS

**NONE** 

### ADVICE LETTER FILINGS

**NONE** 

## MISCELLANEOUS TRANSPORTATION ITEMS Filings with Consumer Protection and Safety Division Miscellaneous Transportation Items

NONE

### MISCELLANEOUS TELECOMMUNICATION MATTERS

**NONE** 

### TABLE OF SUBMISSION DATES FOR THE PRECEDING TWO WEEKS

**11/15/04** ALJ Barnett

C.04-06-036 - Dick Schattinger, Complaint, vs. Southern California Edison Company, Defendant.

### ADJOURNMENTS \* RESETTINGS \* HEARINGS CONCLUDED

ALJ Walker

**I.04-06-008** - Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the fitness of the officers, directors, owners and affiliates of Clear World Communications Corporation, U-6039, including individual officers, directors and shareholders James, Michael, and Joseph Mancuso, and into the conduct of other utilities, entities, or individuals (including Christopher Mancuso) who or that may have facilitated the Mancusos' apparent unlicensed sale of telecommunications services,

Evidentiary Hearing held and continued to November 23

### REMOVALS FROM CALENDAR

#### **NONE**

### **NEW SETTINGS**

11/29/04 10:00 a.m. **ALJ Thorson** Comr Lynch

I.02-11-040 (LM) - Order Instituting Investigation into the Gas Market Activities of Southern California Gas Company, San Diego Gas and Electric, Southwest Gas, Pacific Gas and Electric, and Southern California Edison and their impact on the Gas Price Spikes experienced at the California Border from March 2000 through May 2001,

**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco** 

#### LAW AND MOTION

Law and Motion Hearings are held before Administrative Law Judges Sarah R. Thomas and John E. Thorson at 10:00 a.m. in one of the Commission's San Francisco Office Hearing Rooms, unless otherwise noted. Law and Motion procedures are governed by Resolution ALJ 164. Copies of Resolution ALJ 164 are available from the Commission's Documents Desk (415) 703-1713 or from Central Files (415) 703-2045.

11/22/04 NONE SCHEDULED 10:00 a.m.

11/29/04 10:00 a.m. **ALJ Thorson** Comr Lynch

I.02-11-040 (LM) - Order Instituting Investigation into the Gas Market Activities of Southern California Gas Company, San Diego Gas and Electric, Southwest Gas, Pacific Gas and Electric, and Southern California Edison and their impact on the Gas Price Spikes experienced at the California Border from March 2000 through May 2001,

**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco** 

12/6/04 NONE SCHEDULED

10:00 a.m.

### FINAL ORAL ARGUMENTS (FOA)

### **NONE**

### **HEARINGS**

Dates in parentheses following the word "also" are subject to change without notice. The assigned Commissioner's name is listed next to the proceedings as matter of record; the assigned Commissioner may not be present at the hearing.

(PHC) = Prehearing Conference (EH) = Evidentiary Hearing (PPH) = Public Participation Hearing

(IAM) = Initial Arbitration Meeting

(M) = Mediation

(ECP) = Expedited Complaint Procedure (OSC) = Order to Show Cause

(WS) = Workshop

(FPH) = Full Panel Hearing (AH) = Arbitration Hearing

(CA) = Closing Argument

(LM) = Law & Motion(OA) = Oral Argument 11/23/04 9:00 a.m. ALJ Walker Comr Brown **I.04-06-008 (EH)** - Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the fitness of the officers, directors, owners and affiliates of Clear World Communications Corporation, U-6039, including individual officers, directors and shareholders James, Michael, and Joseph Mancuso, and into the conduct of other utilities, entities, or individuals (including Christopher Mancuso) who or that may have facilitated

the Mancusos' apparent unlicensed sale of telecommunications services, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also November 24)

11/29/04 10:00 a.m. **ALJ Thorson** Comr Lynch

**I.02-11-040 (LM)** - Order Instituting Investigation into the Gas Market Activities of Southern California Gas Company, San Diego Gas and Electric, Southwest Gas, Pacific Gas and Electric, and Southern California Edison and their impact on the Gas Price Spikes experienced at the

California Border from March 2000 through May 2001.

**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco** 

11/30/04 10:00 a.m. ALJ Walker Comr Peevey A.04-09-009 (PHC) - Application of Avista Corporation (U 907 G), a Washington corporation, and Southwest Gas Corporation (U 905 G), a California corporation, for authority to sell interests in utility property pursuant to the provision of Section 851 of the Public Utilities Code of the State of California,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

11/30/04 10:00 a.m. R.0404003 (WS) - Order Instituting Rulemaking to Promote Policy and Program Coordination and

Integration in Electric Utility Resource Planning ALJ Wetzell Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

Comr Peevey

(also December 3 and December 15 and January 12, 2005 – 13 and January 18 – 19 and

**January 25 – 26)** 

Also:

December 6 – 8, Folsom Community Center, Activities Room, 52 Natoma Street, Folsom, CA

12/1/04 10:00 a.m. A.04-06-022 (PHC) - Application of KERMAN TELEPHONE CO. (U 1012 C) pursuant to Public

Utilities Code Section 851 through 854 for authority to sell a warehouse and related land,

**ALJ DeBerry** Comr Brown

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

12/1/04 10:00 a.m. C.04-10-032 (ECP) - Juan Luis Mendoza Fernandez, Complainant, vs. Pacific Gas and Electric

Company, Defendant,

**ALJ Patrick** Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

12/3/04 10:00 a.m. R.0404003 (WS) - Order Instituting Rulemaking to Promote Policy and Program Coordination and

Integration in Electric Utility Resource Planning

ALJ Wetzell Comr Peevey Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

C.04-08-034 (ECP) - Cornell Mitchell, Complainant, vs. Southern California Edison Company, 12/3/04

11:00 a.m. Defendant.

Commission Courtroom, State Office Building, 320 West 4th Street, Suite 500, Los Angeles, CA ALJ Barnett

12/3/04 C.04-07-052 (ECP) - John Dickey and Luanne Aulenback-Dickey, Complainants, vs. Southern California 12:00 noon Edison Company, Defendant,

Commission Courtroom, State Office Building, 320 West 4th Street, Suite 500, Los Angeles, CA **ALJ Barnett** 

12/3/04 C.04-10-016 (ECP) - Frances Ann Myers, Complainant, vs. Pacific Bell Telephone Company dba SBC

1:00 p.m. California. Defendant.

Commission Courtroom, State Office Building, 320 West 4th Street, Suite 500, Los Angeles, CA **ALJ Barnett** 

12/6/04 9:30 a.m. ALJ Walwyn Comr Brown

A.04-040 (EH) - In the Matter of the Application of California-American Water Company for an order authorizing it to change its rates for water service in its Sacramento District to increase revenues by \$3,160.8 or 14.35% in the year 2005, by \$2,158.6 or 8.48% in the year 2006 and by \$1,202.2 or 4.35% in the year 2007, and

A.04-04-041 - In the Matter of the Application of California-American Water Company (U2100) for an order authorizing it to increase its rates for water service in its Larkfield District to increase revenues by \$494.1 or 26.16% in the year 2005, by \$183.4 or 7.63% in the year 2006 and by \$61.9 or 2.39% in the year 2007, and

**A.04-08-013** - In the Matter of the Application of California-American Water Company for Authority Pursuant to PU Code Section 454 to Restructure and Consolidate its Rates for its Sacramento and Larkfield Districts,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also December 7 - 8)

12/6/04 10:00 a.m. R.0404003 (WS) - Order Instituting Rulemaking to Promote Policy and Program Coordination and

Integration in Electric Utility Resource Planning

**ALJ Wetzell** Folsom Community Center, Activities Room, 52 Natoma Street, Folsom, CA (also December 7-8, 10:00 a.m.) Comr. Peevey

12/6/04 7:00 p.m. ALJ McVicar Comr Kennedy **A.04-08-012 (PPH)** - In the Matter of the Application of California-American Water Company for Authority Pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 454 to Restructure and Consolidate its Rates for its

Monterey and Felton Districts,

Monterey Conference Center - Ferrante Room II & III, One Portola Plaza, Monterey, CA

12/7/04, 7:00 p.m., Felton Community Hall – Main Auditorium, 6191 Highway 9, Felton, CA

R.0404003 (WS) - Order Instituting Rulemaking to Promote Policy and Program Coordination and Integration in Electric Utility Resource Planning

Folsom Community Center, Activities Room, 52 Natoma Street, Folsom, CA (also December 7-8, 10:00 a.m.)

12/8/04 10:00 a.m. ALJ Galvin Comr Peevey A.04-08-008 (EH) – Application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for Approval of its Forecast 2005 ERRA Proceeding Revenue Requirement; to Implement its ERRA Revenue Requirement Coincident with the DWR Power charge Revenue Requirement; and to Consolidate all Commissionauthorized Revenue Requirements and Set Unbundled Rate Components Beginning January 1, 2005, Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also December 9 as needed)

12/8/04 10:00 a.m. **ALJ Patrick**  C.04-10-035 (ECP) - Marvin Ellis, Complainant, vs. Pacific Gas and Electric Company, Defendant,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

12/9/04 10:00 a.m. ALJ Kotz

R.04-10-010 (WS) - Rulemaking to Set Hourly Rates for Purposes of Calculating Intervenor Compensation Awards, Pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 1801 and Following, for Work

Performed in Calendar Year 2005, Comr Peevey

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

12/13/04 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. ALJ Gottstein Comr Lynch **A.00-05-002** (EH) - In the Matter of the Application of Southern California Gas Company (U904G) for Authority to increase its Gas Revenue Requirements to Reflect its Accomplishments for Demand-Side Management Program Years 1995 and 1997, Energy Efficiency Program Year 1999, and Low-Income Program Years 1998 and 1999 in the 2000 Annual Earnings Assessment Proceeding ("AEAP"), and Related Matters:

A.00-05-003 A.00-05-004 A.00-05-005 A.01-05-003 A.01-05-009 A.01-05-017 A.01-05-018 A.02-05-002 A.02-05-003 A.02-05-005 A.02-05-007

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also December 14 – 16 at 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.)

**12/14/04** 10:00 a.m. ALJ Jones Comr Brown **A.04-09-023** (IAM) - Application by Pacific Bell Telephone Company dba SBC California (U 1001 C) for Arbitration of an Interconnection Agreement with AT&T Communications of California, Inc. (U 5002 C), TCG Los Angeles, Inc. (U 5462 C), TCG San Diego (U 5389 C), and TCG San Francisco (U 5454 C)

Pursuant to Section 252(b) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

12/15/04

R.0404003 (WS) - Order Instituting Rulemaking to Promote Policy and Program Coordination and

10:00 a.m. Integration in Electric Utility Resource Planning ALJ Wetzell Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also January 12 – 26, 10:00 a.m.)

**12/20/04** 11:00 a.m. ALJ Walwyn  $\textbf{I.04-08-023} \ (EH) \ \textbf{-} \ \text{In the matter of the Order Instituting Investigation an Order to Show Cause on the Commission's own motion into the operations and practices of Globe Van Lines of California, Inc., a second control of the Commission.$ 

Florida corporation, and its President Isaac Nagar, Applicants/Respondents,

Comr Brown Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

**12/20/04** 1:00 p.m.

C.04-07-051 (ECP) - Casey O'Connor, Complainant, vs. Verizon Long Distance, Defendant,

Indio City Hall - Large Conference Room, 100 Civic Center Hall, Indio CA

ALJ Barnett

**12/22/04** 10:00 a.m.

**I.04-08-023 (EH)** - In the matter of the Order Instituting Investigation an Order to Show Cause on the Commission's own motion into the operations and practices of Globe Van Lines of California, Inc., a

ALJ Walwyn Florida corporation, and its President Isaac Nagar, Applicants/Respondents,

Comr Brown Commission Courtroom, State Office Building, 320 West 4th Street, Suite 500, Los Angeles, CA

1/4/05 10:00 a.m. ALJ Barnett **A.04-06-002** (EH) – In the Matter of the Joint Application of Shell California Pipeline Company LLC and Crimson California Pipeline L.P., pursuant to Section 851 of the Public Utilities Code, for Approval of the

nett Purchase and Sale of Certain Public Utility Pipeline Assets,

Comr Kennedy Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

**1/4/05** 10:00 a.m.

**A.04-08-012 (EH)** - In the Matter of the Application of California-American Water Company for Authority Pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 454 to Restructure and Consolidate its Rates for its

ALJ McVicar Monterey and Felton Districts,

Comr Kennedy Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also January 5-7)

1/4/05 10:00 a.m. **ALJ Jones** Comr Brown A.04-09-023 (AH) - Application by Pacific Bell Telephone Company dba SBC California (U 1001 C) for Arbitration of an Interconnection Agreement with AT&T Communications of California, Inc. (U 5002 C), TCG Los Angeles, Inc. (U 5462 C), TCG San Diego (U 5389 C), and TCG San Francisco (U 5454 C) Pursuant to Section 252(b) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also January 5-7 and January 10-14)

1/5/05 10:00 a.m. ALJ Econome A.04-06-030 (EH) - In the Matter of the Application of the City of Petaluma, a Municipal Corporation, for an Order Authorizing the Relocation of One At-Grade Crossing of the Tracks of the Sonoma Marin Area Rail Transit District in the City of Petaluma, County of Sonoma,

Comr Wood Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

1/11/05 10:00 a.m. ALJ Walker A.04-02-031 (PHC) - Application of the City of Gridley to remove the Laurel Street crossing of the Union Pacific Railroad Company tracks and construct a new crossing in the City of Gridley, County of Butte,

Comr Kennedy Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

1/11/05 10:00 a.m. ALJ Fukutome Comr Peevey

A.04-08-042 (EH) - In the Matter of the Application of SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER COMPANY (U 133 W) for an Order authorizing it to increase rates for water service by \$677,900 or 9.65% in 2005, by \$177,600 or 2.31% in 2006, and by \$186,000 or 2.36% in 2007 in the Arden-Cordova Customer Service Area; by \$227,300 or 4.71% in 2005, by \$126,400 or 2.50% in 2006, and by \$136,100 or 2.63% in 2007 in the Bay Point Customer Service Area; by \$136,200 or 10.37% in 2005, by \$45,800 or 3.16% in 2006, and by \$47,900 or 3.20% in 2007 in the Clearlake Customer Service Area; by \$183,500 or 9.44% in 2005, by \$89,700 or 4.22% in 2006, and by \$95,300 or 4.30% in 2007 in the Los Osos Customer Service Area; by \$214,500 or 8.07% in 2005, by \$154,600 or 5.38% in 2006, and by \$160,900 or 5.31% in 2007 in the Ojai Customer Service Area; by \$644,900 or 10.57% in 2005, by \$314,500 or 4.66% in 2006, and by \$331,000 or 4.69% in 2007 in the Santa Maria Customer Service Area; by \$575,100 or 7.24% in 2005, by \$120,600 or 1.42% in 2006, and by \$192,900 or 2.23% in 2007 in the Simi Valley Customer Service Area; and various other relief,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

1/13/05 10:00 a.m. **ALJ Barnett**  C.04-10-006 (ECP) - Melvyn Ian Hurok, Complainant, vs. Verizon California Inc., Defendant, San Bernardino State Building, 464 West Fourth Street, 7th Floor, Room 718, San Bernardino, CA

1/13/05 11:00 a.m. **ALJ Barnett**  C.04-10-020 (ECP) - Nick J. Constantinides, Complaint, vs. Bear Valley Electric Services, Defendant, San Bernardino State Building, 464 West Fourth Street, 7th Floor, Room 718, San Bernardino, CA

1/14/05 11:00 a.m. **ALJ Barnett**  C.04-10-027 (ECP) - Sotelo Car Care, Inc., Complainant, vs. Nextel of California, Inc., Defendant, Commission Courtroom, State Office Building, 320 West 4th Street, Suite 500, Los Angeles, CA

12:00 noon **ALJ Barnett** 

1/14/05

C.04-09-040 (ECP) - Eli Littner, Complainant, vs. Bullseye Telecom, Inc., Defendant,

Commission Courtroom, State Office Building, 320 West 4th Street, Suite 500, Los Angeles, CA

1/14/05 1:00 p.m.

C.04-10-025 (ECP) - Innovative Glass Elements, Inc., Complainant, vs. Southern California Edison

Company, Defendant, **ALJ Barnett** 

Commission Courtroom, State Office Building, 320 West 4th Street, Suite 500, Los Angeles, CA

9:30 a.m. ALJ Duda Comr Brown

1/19/05

A.04-05-002 (AH) - In the Matter of the Request for Arbitration of XO California, Inc. Of an Amendment to an Interconnection Agreement with SBC California Pursuant to Section 252(B) of the Communications Act of 1934, as Amended,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also January 20)

1/19/05
A.04-09-005 (EH) - In the Matter of the Application of San Gabriel Valley Water Company (U337W) for 10:00 a.m.
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Commission Courtroom, State Office Building, 320 West 4<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 500, Los Angeles, CA (also January 20 – 21 at 9:00 a.m.)

1/19/05 A.04-06-024 (PPH) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company To Revise Its Electric Marginal 4:30 p.m. Costs, Revenue Allocation, and Rate Design U 39 M,

ALJ Mattson Chico Public Library - Conference Room, 1108 Sherman Avenue, Chico, CA

Comr Peevey Also:

2/1/05, 6:00 p.m., Commission Auditorium, 505 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, CA

2/2/05, 7:00 p.m., Santa Rosa City Hall Council Chamber, 100 Santa Rosa Avenue, Santa Rosa, CA

2/3/05, 7:00 p.m., Sheriff's Auditorium, 55 West Younger Avenue, San Jose, CA

2/7/05, 4:00 p.m., Tulare Public Library – Centennial Room, 113 North F Street, Tulare, CA

1/21/05 C.04-08-026 (EH) - AT&T Communications of California, Inc. (U 5002 C), TCG Los Angeles, Inc. (U 9:30 a.m.

ALJ Econome California Inc. (U 1002 C), Defendant, and

Comr Brown

C.04-09-001 - Telescape Communications, Inc. (U 6589 C), Wholesale Airtime, Inc. (U 5751 C), and Blue Casa Communications, LLC (U 6764 C), Complainants, vs. Verizon California, Inc. (U 1002 C),

Defendant, and

**C.04-09-010** - ACN Communication Services, Inc. (U 6342 C), Covad Communications Co. (U 5752 C), and Vycera Communications, Inc. (U 5477), Complainants, vs. Verizon California Inc. (U 1002 C),

Defendant,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

1/24/05
A.04-09-005 (EH) - In the Matter of the Application of San Gabriel Valley Water Company (U337W) for 9:00 a.m.
ALJ McVicar
Comr Peevey

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco (also January 25)

1/25/05 R.03-10-003 (PHC) - Order Instituting Rulemaking to Implement Portions of AB 117 Concerning

11:00 a.m. Community Choice Aggregation,

ALJ Malcolm Commission Courtroom, San Francisco
Comr Peevey

1/31/05
A.04-02-026 (EH) - Application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for Authorization:
10:00 a.m.
ALJ O'Donnell
Comr Brown
A.04-02-026 (EH) - Application of Southern California Edison Company (U 338-E) for Authorization:
(1) to Replace San Onofre Nuclear Generating Station Unit Nos. 2 & 3 (SONGS 2 & 3) Steam
Generators; (2) Establish Ratemaking for Cost Recovery; and (3) Address Other Related Steam Generator
Replacement Issues,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also February 1 – 4 and February 7 – 11) (Note: January 31 and February 7 at 10:00 a.m. and the

remaining days at 9:30 a.m.)

**2/10/05 A.04-07-044 (EH)** - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company to Revise its Gas Rates and Tariffs

10:00 a.m. to be Effective July 1, 2005 (U 39 G),
ALJ Malcolm Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

Comr Brown (also February 11 and February 14 – 16 at 9:00 a.m.)

2/22/05 C.04-08-035 (EH) - Hofmann Land Development Co., Complainant, vs. Pacific Bell Telephone Company

10:00 a.m. dba SBC California, Defendant,

ALJ McKenzie Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

Comr Brown (also February 23 – 25)

3/1/05 A.03-10-057 (PHC) - In the Matter of the Application of the SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER

10:00 a.m. COMPANY (U 133 W) for an order authorizing it to increase rates for water service in 2004 in its Region

1 Customer Service Areas by \$179,200 or 2.62% in the Arden-Cordova CSA; \$93,400 or 1.98% in the

Comr Peevey Bay Point CSA; and \$115,900 or 4.55% in the Ojai CSA; and various other relief,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

3/1/05 C.04-06-032 (EH) - E. Dennis Geary, Trustee of the Geary Family Trust Under Declaration of Trust Dated October 9, 1990, Complainant, vs. North County Transit District and Versaform Corporation, Defendants,

Comr Peevey San Diego State Office Building, 1350 Front Street, Room B-107, San Diego, CA

(also March 2)

**R.04-03-017** (EH) - Order Instituting Rulemaking Regarding Policies, Procedures and Incentives for 10:00 a.m. Distributed Generation and Distributed Energy Resources,

ALJ Malcolm Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

Comr Peevey (also March 2 - 4)

3/3/05
1.04-07-005 (TELEPHONIC – PHC) - Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the operations and practices of Vycera Communications, Inc. (U-5477) and its officers and primary shareholders, Derek M. Gietzen and Thalia R. Gietzen, to determine whether respondents have violated the laws, rules and regulations governing the manner in which California consumers are switched from one telephone carrier to another and billed for telephone products or services,

Commission Room 5018, San Francisco

3/7/05
A.03-12-008 (EH) - In the Matter of the Application of CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY
10:00 a.m.
ALJ Galvin
Comr Kennedy

A.03-12-008 (EH) - In the Matter of the Application of CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY
(U 60 W), a corporation, for an order authorizing treatment of net proceeds from real property sales as subject to Public Utilities Code § 790 and for establishment of memorandum accounts to record net sales proceeds, and

**A.04-08-017** - In the Matter of the Application of CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY (U 60 W), a corporation, for an order authorizing replacement of the operations center and customer center in the Chico District and treatment of their net sale proceeds as subject to Public Utilities Code § 790,

**Commission Courtroom, San Francisco** 

(also March 8)

3/7/05

I.04-07-005 (EH) - Investigation on the Commission's own motion into the operations and practices of Vycera Communications, Inc. (U-5477) and its officers and primary shareholders, Derek M. Gietzen and Thalia R. Gietzen, to determine whether respondents have violated the laws, rules and regulations governing the manner in which California consumers are switched from one telephone carrier to another and billed for telephone products or services,

San Diego State Office Building, 1350 Front Street, Room B-107, San Diego, CA (also March 8 – 11)

3/10/05 I.04-04-024 (PPH) - Order Instituting Investigation into the Proposal of Sound Energy Solutions to 3:00 pm & Construct and Operate a Liquefied Natural Gas Terminal at the Port of Long Beach, CA 90822 Long Beach Public Library – Auditorium, 101 Pacific Avenue, Long Beach, CA 90822

ALJ Malcolm Also:

ALJ Allen 3/11/05, 3:30 p.m., Wilmington Senior Citizens Center - Main Auditorium Room, 1371 Eubank

Comr Brown Avenue, Wilmington, CA

3/14/05
A.03-10-057 (EH) - In the Matter of the Application of the SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER
9:00 a.m.
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Comr Peevey
Company (U 133 W) for an order authorizing it to increase rates for water service in 2004 in its Region
1 Customer Service Areas by \$179,200 or 2.62% in the Arden-Cordova CSA; \$93,400 or 1.98% in the
Bay Point CSA; and \$115,900 or 4.55% in the Ojai CSA; and various other relief,

Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also March 15 - 16)

3/21/05 A.04-07-042 (EH) - In the matter of the Application of Hillview Water Company (U 194-W) for authority

9:00 a.m. to increase rates: In 2004 \$251, 233, or 28.32% above the revenues generated by present rates,

ALJ Vieth Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

Comr Kennedy (also March 22 – 23)

**4/26/05 A.04-07-018 (EH)** - In the Matter of the Application of SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA WATER 10:00 a.m. COMPANY (U 133-W), for an Order pursuant to Public Utilities Code Section 851 approving a

ALJ Fukutome Reallocation Agreement with the City of Folsom, as directed by D.04-04-069,

Comr Peevey Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

(also April 27 - 28)

5/17/05 A.04-06-024 (PHC) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company To Revise Its Electric Marginal

10:00 a.m. Costs, Revenue Allocation, and Rate Design U 39 M,

ALJ Mattson Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

Comr Peevey

5/23/05 A.04-06-024 (EH) - Application of Pacific Gas and Electric Company To Revise Its Electric Marginal

9:00 a.m. Costs, Revenue Allocation, and Rate Design U 39 M,

ALJ Mattson Commission Courtroom, San Francisco

Comr Peevey (also May 24 - 27; May 30 -June 3; and June 6 - 10)

### NOTICE OF DENIAL OF REQUEST FOR EX PARTE MEETING

On September 20, 1996, the Commission adopted Resolution ALJ 169 regarding the "Filing of Notice of Denial of Request for Ex Parte Meeting." The resolution implements an interim procedure whereby a party whose written request for an ex parte meeting with a Commissioner has been denied will be allowed to file a notice of such denial. Copies of Resolution ALJ 169 are available from the Commission's Central Files Office at 505 Van Ness Avenue, Room 2002, San Francisco; telephone (415) 703-2045. Copies of tendered notices are available in the Central Files Office for review and/or reproduction under existing procedures. They are also available from the filing party who is under the obligation to provide copies of the notice without delay.

### **NONE**

### NOTICE OF ALL-PARTY MEETINGS (PU Code § 1701.3(c))

### NONE

### NOTICE OF EX PARTE COMMUNICATIONS

Copies of tendered notices are available in the Central Files Office for review and/or reproduction under existing procedures. They are also available from the filing party who is under the obligation to provide copies of the notice without delay.

11/16/04 R02-01-011 Order Instituting Rulemaking regarding the implementation of the

suspension of direct access pursuant to Assembly Bill 1X and

Decision 01-09-060.

**Summary:** On November 10, 2004, Eric Eisenman, Chief, Regulatory Relations, Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), met with Julie Fitch, advisor to Cmmr. Peevey, in San Francisco. Also present was David Rubin, Director of Service Analysis of PG&E. Written material (attached to the notice) was used.

Eisenman reiterated PG&E's position that no exemptions from the cost responsibility surcharge (CRS) should be granted to municipal departing load. Eisenman stated that PG&E believes Cmmr. Lynch's alternate decision is the best proposal before Commission. Rubin stated that the proposed decision and Cmmr. Peevey's alternate should be modified to correct the exemption cap amounts. Rubin explained that PG&E accepts the CRS exemptions are to be granted in situations where a city like Redding, Roseville, and Lodi annexes an area where it is expanding, and providing all city services, including electric service.

Filer: Pacific Gas and Electric Company

Contact: Michelle Brown Phone: (415) 973-4662 Email: mtt3@pge.com

**Summary:** On November 10, 2004, Eric Eisenman, Chief, Regulatory Relations, Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), met with David Gamson, advisor to Cmmr. Peevey, in San Francisco. Also present was David Rubin, Director of Service Analysis of PG&E. Eisenman reiterated PG&E's position that no exemptions from the cost responsibility surcharge (CRS) should be granted to municipal departing load. Eisenman stated that PG&E believes Cmmr. Lynch's alternate decision is the best proposal before Commission. Rubin reiterated that the proposed decision should be modified to correct the exemption cap amounts. Rubin added that the only charge subject to the exemption is the Department of Water Resources power charge.

Filer: Pacific Gas and Electric Company

Contact: Michelle Brown Phone: (415) 973-4662 Email: mtt3@pge.com

Summary: On November 12, 2004, Jane Dunn Cirrincione, Assistant General Manager, Legislative and Regulatory Affairs of the Northern California Power Agency (NCPA), met with Cmmr. Lynch and Manuel Ramirez, advisor to Cmmr. Wood, in two separate meetings in San Francisco. At the meeting with Cmmr. Lynch also present was Mike Campbell, advisor to Cmmr. Lynch. Robert Hedrick, Regulatory Counsel, Tom Sanford, Commissioner for the City of Gridley, and Susie Berlin, counsel, for NCPA, participated in both meetings. Cirrincione explained that unwarranted exit fees on new municipal load (NML) could severely impact several smaller NCPA members and urged the Commission to support the exemption for NML articulated in the alternate of Pres. Peevey. Sanford summarized how the exit fee would impact the City of Gridley and explained why the conclusions set for the in the alternate were reasonable in light of the record. Representatives of NCPA urged the Commission to support the MLD exclusion from the CRS and to remove the 150 MW cap from the exclusion for publicly owned utilities formed and serving customers prior to February 1, 2001.

Filer: Northern California Power Agency

Contact: Adrienne Desmond Phone: (408) 288-2080

Summary: On November 12, 2004, Steve Boyd, Manager of Communications and Government Relations Department of Turlock Irrigation District (Turlock), met with Cmmr. Lynch and Manuel Ramirez, advisor to Cmmr. Wood, in two separate meetings in San Francisco. At the meeting with Cmmr. Lynch also present was Michael Campbell, advisor to Cmmr. Lynch. Susie Berlin, counsel for Turlock, participated in both meetings. Boyd gave a brief history of the unique contractual relationship between Turlock and Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E). Boyd also noted that Turlock is unique in that it is the only publicly owned utility that is currently being billed for the CRS by PG&E. Turlock urged the Commission to support the alternate decision of Cmmr. Peevey, as the exemption for new municipal load is fully supported by the record. Turlock pointed out, however, that the alternate should be revised to reflect that the 150 MW cap should not apply to load associated with publicly owned utilities formed and serving retail load prior to February 1, 2001. Turlock also explained that it is not responsible for payment of PG&E's regulatory asset refinance.

Filer: Turlock Irrigation District

Contact: Adrienne Desmond Phone: (408) 288-2080

11/17/04 R02-01-011 Order Instituting Rulemaking regarding the implementation of the

suspension of direct access pursuant to Assembly Bill 1X and

Decision 01-09-060.

Summary: On November 12, 2004, Brian Cherry, Director, Regulatory Relations, Pacific Gas and

Electric Company (PG&E), met with Cmmr. Lynch in San Francisco. Also present were Mike Campbell, advisor to Cmmr. Lynch, and David Rubin, Director of Service Analysis of PG&E. Cherry reiterated PG&E's position that no exemptions from the cost responsibility surcharge (CRS) should be granted to municipal departing load. Cherry stated that PG&E believes Cmmr. Lynch's alternate decision is the best proposal before Commission. Rubin stated that the proposed decision and Cmmr. Peevey's alternate should be modified to correct the exemption cap amounts. Rubin explained that PG&E accepts the CRS exemptions are to be granted in situations where a city like Redding, Roseville, and Lodi annexes an area where it is expanding, and providing all city services, including electric service. Rubin noted that PG&E has an obligation to serve all customers, while municipal utilities and irrigation districts can selectively choose which customers to serve.

Filer: Pacific Gas and Electric Company

Contact: Michelle Brown Phone: (415) 973-4662 Email: mtt3@pge.com

11/17/04 A04-07-018 Southern California Water Company, for an Order pursuant to

P.U. Code Section 851 approving a Reallocation Agreement with

the City of Folsom, as directed by D.04-04-069.

**Summary:** On November 12, 2004, Floyd Wicks, representing Southern California Water Company (SCWC), met with Rami Kahlon, advisor to Cmmr. Peevey, in San Francisco. Also present were Susan Conway, Denise Kruger, Pat Schmiege and Scott Slater, representing SCWC. SCWC representatives discussed the allocation of the past Folsom lease revenues to ratepayers ordered in D04-03-039. SCWC expressed the view that the allocation ordered in that decision was improper and contrary to Commission precedent and policy. SCWC presented its view that the allocation of past revenues as ordered in D04-03-039 should be reexamined in this proceeding and asked the Commission to consider adding the allocation of past lease revenues as an issue within the scope of this proceeding.

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11/17/04 A04-07-032 Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authority (1) to sell or

assign recovery property to one or more financing entities; (2) to service recovery bonds on behalf of financing entities; (3) to establish charges sufficient to recover fixed recovery amounts and fixed recovery tax amounts; and (4) for such further authority necessary to carry out the transactions described in this

application.

**Summary:** On November 15, 2004, Robert Kinosian of the Office of Ratepayer Advocates (ORA), met with Julie Fitch, advisor to Pres. Peevey, in San Francisco. Written material (attached to the notice) was used. Kinosian discussed the draft financing order and Pacific Gas and Electric Company's proposal to issue the bonds in two series. Kinosian expressed concern that PG&E's proposal unnecessarily delays issuing \$1 billion bonds for a year, which will increase ratepayer costs by over \$100 million.

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11/18/04 A04-07-032 Pacific Gas and Electric Company, for authority (1) to sell or

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application.

**Summary:** On November 15, 2004, Brian Cherry, Director, Regulatory Relations, Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E), met with Brian Prusnek, advisor to Cmmr. Kennedy, and Julie Fitch, advisor to Cmmr. Peevey, in two separate meetings in San Francisco. Written material (attached to the notice)

was used. Cherry stressed the importance of incorporating PG&E's comments into the Energy Recovery Bonds (ERBs) draft decision to ensure that the ERB bonds could be issued on a timely basis and without problems. Cherry discussed the importance of ensuring appropriate tax recovery, that the final decision clarify that a Special Purpose Entity and not PG&E would be issuer of the ERBs, and that it was important to have an appropriate true-up mechanism in place to ensure repayment of the ERBs by the final legal maturity date.

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11/18/04 I02-11-040 Order Instituting Investigation into the Gas Market Activities of

Southern California Gas Company, San Diego Gas & Electric Company, Southwest Gas Company, Pacific Gas and Electric Company, and Southern California Edison Company and their impact on the Gas Price Spikes experienced at the California

Border from March 2000 through May 2001.

**Summary:** On November 16, 2004, Marzia Zafar, CPUC Relations Manager for Southern California Gas Company and San Diego Gas & Electric Company, had a telephone conversation with Trina Horner, advisor to Cmmr. Lynch. Zafar stated that the Proposed Decision's findings were seriously flawed and that the evidence had been ignored.

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11/18/04 A04-03-023 California-American Water Company for an order authorizing it

to change its rates for water service in its Coronado District to increase revenues by \$352.9 or 2.86% in the year 2005, to decrease revenues by \$43.1 or 0.34% in 2006, and to decrease

revenues by \$28.4 or 0.22% in 2007.

A04-03-024 California-American Water Company for an order authorizing it

to change its rates for water service in its Village District to decrease revenues by \$1,254.0 or 6.36% in the year 2005, to decrease revenue by \$24.9 or 0.13% in 2006, and to increase

revenues by \$4.7 or 0.03% in 2007.

**Summary:** On November 15, 2004, Monica McCrary, Counsel for the Office of Ratepayer Advocates (ORA), had a telephone conversation with ALJ McKenzie. McCrary stated that it was her understanding that the rate decrease agreed to in the settlement between ORA and California-American Water Company (Cal-Am) for the Village District should take effect on January 1, 2005, but that all rate increases agreed to for both the Village and Coronado districts should be deferred by one year pursuant to D02-12-068, the decision approving the transfer of control of Cal-Am's corporate parent. McCrary also stated that ORA's statement at paragraph 1.7 of its report for the Village District recommending that Cal-Am adjust its tariff only once in 2005 did not consider the requirements of D02-12-068.

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11/18/04 R95-04-043 Rulemaking on the Commission's own motion into competition

for local exchange service and

Investigation on the Commission's own motion into competition

for local exchange service.

**Summary:** On November 15, 2004, Anita Taff-Rice, attorney for MCI, Inc., met with Tim Sullivan, advisor to Cmmr. Kennedy, in San Francisco. Written materials (attached to the notice) were used. Taff-Rice explained that improved hot cut processes are critical to the success of mass market local telephone competition and to avoid potential problems for consumers. Taff-Rice also stated that the Commission has

the authority to resolve hot cut issues. Taff-Rice noted that it is extremely important for the Commission to move ahead expeditiously to adopt the proposed decision to ensure that an efficient, seamless and economic batch hot cut process is in place to handle high volumes of hot cuts that will occur if the Federal Communications Commission issues an order phasing out the availability of UNE-P. Taff Rice explained that it is essential that the batch hot cut process adopted by the Commission include the full range of customer migration scenarios. Taff-Rice also compared the hot cut provisioning intervals proposed by SBC and Verizon and explained that both proposals are too lengthy, but that Verizon's proposal is completely unworkable to meet customer needs. Taff-Rice discussed the batch hot cut order issued by the New York Public Service Commission, and stated that it would not be helpful to look to the New York order for guidance.

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Summary: On November 15, 2004, William C. Harrelson, Senior Counsel for MCI, Inc. (MCI), met with Cmmr. Brown in San Francisco. Also present were Peter Hanson, advisor to Cmmr. Brown, and Anita Taff-Rice, an attorney for MCI. Written materials (attached to the notice) were used. Harrelson explained that improved hot cut processes are critical to the success of mass market local telephone competition and to avoid potential problems for consumers. Harrelson and Taff-Rice emphasized that it is extremely important for the Commission to move ahead expeditiously to adopt the proposed decision to ensure that an efficient, seamless and economic batch hot cut process is in place to handle high volumes of hot cuts that will occur if the CLECs need to move all of their customers from ILEC switches to their own switches. The MCI representatives discussed the batch hot cut order issued by the New York Public Service Commission, and explained that it would not be helpful to look to the New York order for guidance for either Verizon or SBC.

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